

REMARKS

Please cancel withdrawn claims 1-13 and 21-26.

Please cancel claims 15 and 28.

In the Office Action, the Examiner stated that claims 14, 16-20, 27 and 29-33 are allowed. The allowance of the claims is appreciated by the Applicants.

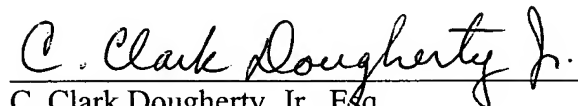
This is intended to be a complete response to the Office Action mailed on January 25, 2005.

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